# HENDERSON'S PLACE.

Judge J. P. Birdsall Nominated for Congress by Republicans of Third Iowa District.

## DECLARATION ON THE TARIFF.

Asserts That the Des Moines Platform and That Adopted at St. Louis in 1896 Are the Same in Substance.

Hampton, Ia., Sept. 25.-Judge J. P. Birdsall of Clarion, Is., was to-day nominated for Congress by the Third District Repub-

lican Convention. The nomination was made on the second ballot by a vote of \$8 to 26 for C. E. Ransier

of Buchanan. The Third District is at present reprezented by the Speaker of the National House, David B. Henderson, who recently declined a renomination.

The report of the Committees on Resolutions was adopted by the convention. It

"We deny that the Dingley tariff breeds and shelters trusts. We interpret the tariff plank in the Des Moines platform of 1902 to be nearly a reiteration of and to mean no more than the St. Louis plank of 1896, which

'We are not pledged to any particular schedules. The question of rates is a practical question to be governed by the conditions of the times and of production. The ruling and uncompromising principle is the protection and development of American labor and industry."

REGRETS EXPRESSED. "We most earnestly regret the declination of the renomination which the Republicans of this district for the eleventh time unantmously tendered D. B. Henderson,

"No official has been more anxious to keep in touch with and faithfully represent the well considered judgment of his constituents than has Colonel Henderson during all the long years of his congressional career. "We have faith in his patriotism and in his personal and political integrity. We are ious of his great mental power and ability. We realize his superb leadership and commanding influence in governmental affairs and believe that his withdrawal

means a great loss to the people."

D. C. Glasser of Dubuque, resigned as chairman of the Congressional Committee and George E. Wright of Eagle Grover was elected to fill the vacancy. Judge Birdsall is about 45 years old. The only office he has ever held is the judgeship of the District Court, which he resigned a

year ago to resume the practice of law Clarion,

### HE'S SURE HE SAW KELLY. Memphis Man Says He Talked

With the Fugitive.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 25.-Harry W. Allen, a kalsominer, formerly of St. Louis, was the man who reported to the Memphis police Wednesday night that Charles F. Kelly, who is wanted in connection with the St. Louis boodle cases, was here. Allen stated he saw Kelly around the depot and that he stated he was going back to St.

After that meeting Allen notified police headquarters and the hunt was commenced. The police still believe they were after the right man, but now have given up hope of apprehending him here. It is believed he got away from Memphis after eluding the officers so close on his trail.

## May Have Been in Kentucky.

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 25.-A special to the Commercial Appear from Covington Tenn. says it is believed that Charles Kelly, the fugitive St. Louis Alderman, was in Covington to-day.

Several citizens noticed that a stranger here bore a marked likeness to Kelly's picture published in a Memphis newspaper. The stranger left town on foot going

## J. P. MORGAN'S LATEST COUP.

May Control Railroad Systems of South, With One Exception.

New York, Sept. 25 .- The firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., it is now expected, will bea property in which it has never had any interest, because of the fact that J. Pierpont Morgan is reported to have concluded negotlations with the Atlantic Coast Line, whereby this road will acquire control of the Louisville and Nashville Raliroad. This statement was definitely enough confirmed in high banking circles. The ef-

fect of such a deal can be appreciated when it will be seen that the entire rail-road system of the South, with the excep-tion of the Seaboard Air Line, will be dominated by interests friendly to the great Wall street banking-house

## NEW YORK COMMISSIONERS MEET.

Next Week. New York, Sept. 25.-The Commissioners of New York State for the St. Louis Exposition held their first meeting to-day in this city. An Executive Committee was appointed and also a committee to attend the ceremony, at St. Louis, September 30 to October 2, of selecting sites for State buildings on the Exposition grounds, It was decided to open an office at once

for the New York Commissioners at No. 129 Broadway. Edward H. Harriman, presi-dent of the board, was chosen chairman of the Executive Committee, and he was authorized to appoint a secretary for the

board.

The committee to attend the ceremony of site selections is composed of Commissioners Edward Lyman Hill, Brooklyn; Frank McGraw and Mrs. Harriet L. Mack, Buffalo; John K. Stewart, Amsterdam; James H. Callahan, Schenectady; John Young, Geneseo; William Berri, Brooklyn; John C. Woodbury, Rochester; Cyrus E. Jones, Jamestown. These commissioners and Louis Stern, Lewis Nixon and Edward H. Hairiman of New York are members of the board.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL REPUBLIC SPECIAL
Memphis, Mo., Sept. 25.—The twenty-sixth
annual session of the Pleasant Grove Baptist Association opened at the Pleasant
Grove Church, nine miles southeast of here,
yesterday, and closed to-day. There were
150 delegates present from the various
churches in the county, and the meeting
was full of interest.

Champ Clark Delayed. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 25.—The Reverend George A. Archibald, D. D., died to-day at his home in Covington, Ky. He was for many years prominent in United Presby-terian Church work.

Growing Thinner.

"I believe," said Dreibier, "that my ex-cuses are losing weight."
"What makes you think so?" asked Weis-"My wife says that my stories are thinner every time she hears one."-Philadelphia

## MAN FOUND TO TAKE TOWER IS CHOSEN FOR NEW AMBASSADOR TO GERMANY.

America's Representative at St. Petersburg Is to Be Transferred Within a Few Weeks-Letters of Recall Are Sent to Ambassador White and Probably Will Be Presented in November-Other Changes in the Diplomatic Service to Follow.



BELLAMY STORER,

United States Minister to Spain, who probably will be made Ambassador to Rus-

Berlin, Sept. 25.-President Roosevelt has chosen Charlemagne Tower, Ambassador to Russia, to succeed Mr. White as Ambassador to Germany.

Notifications of this decision and that Mr. White's letters of recall had been issued by the State Department have reached the Foreign Office here.

The appointment of Mr. Tower had been expected here for several weeks. As he was passing through Berlin six weeks ago he gave a hint to one or two of his friends that he might be transferred to this court. Mr. White probably will not have his farewell audience with the Emperor November 7, his birthday, as had been provisionally arranged, because his Majesty

The retiring Ambassador, therefore, is not likely to present his letters of recall until about the middle of November.

departs November 5 for England.

FIVE MEN ARE KILLED

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

The dead:

3:39 o'clock this morning.

W. L. Collins, Batdel, Ill.

Hans Rasmussen, Ipava, Ill.

A. H. Wegner, Prairie City, Ill.

J. H. Carrithers; residence unknown, Leroy B. Woolsey, Knoxville, Ill.

men and a boy. Conductor R. L. Swain of the freight train saw the passenger com-

ing and notified the passengers to let the car. Seven of the men and the l succeeded in getting out and of the who remained, five were killed.

Young to Plend Insanity.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
New York, Sept. 25.—Insanity will be the

plea adopted by William F. S. Hart, coun-

sel for Cooper Young, when his client

comes to trial before a jury. It has not

yet been decided by Mr. Hart, whether Young will be permitted to take the stand in his own behalf, but it is probable that the man accused of the murder of Mrs. Anna Pulitzer will insist upon telling his

Washington, Sept. 25.-The appointment of Charlemagne Tower as Ambassador to Germany to succeed Mr. White is confirmed

IN WRECK AT MALDEN, ILL

Passenger Train Crashed Into Way

Car Attached to the Rear of a

Stock Train.

Princeton, Ill., Sept. 25.-Five men were

killed as the result of a railroad wreck on

the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Rail-

way at Malden, four miles east of here, at



CHARLEMAGNE TOWER, Who has been selected to succeed Andrew D. White as Ambassador to Germany. He is now Ambassador to Russia.

It is likely that official announcement of the change will be made soon, either by President Roosevelt himself or by the State

Department. Mr. Tower's acceptance of the German mission will create a vacancy in the ambassadorship to Russia, which is held now by

It is regarded as quite likely that he will in turn be succeeded by Bellamy Storer, present ambassador at the court of Madrid, It is intimated further that the vacancy in the Spanish mission may be filled by the appointment of Henry White, present secretary of the embassy in Great Britain. It is recalled here that at the time of Mr. Tower's appointment to St. Petersburg, Mr. Roosevelt wrote to President McKinley strongly recommending him.

The President also greatly admired Mr. Storer and might have considered him for the post at Berlin, but Mrs. Storer is a Catholic, and the peculiar relations which the German court bears toward the Catholic Church and its members made the aspointment of Mr. Storer to that place out of the question.

### DISORDER CONTINUES IN SPITE OF TROOPS.

Nonunion Workman Beaten to Death by Foreigners Near Oliphant, Pa., and Residences Attacked.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 25.-In spite of the fact that soldiers are on guard throughout the coal region, violence continues. James Winston, a nonunion worker, who tried to reach the Grassy Island washery,

near Oliphant, was murdered to-day, being clubbed to death by foreigners. Five men and one woman were arrested for the murder and were held under bail. Winston was formerly secretary of the Grassy Island local, and incurred the en-mity of the union when he returned to work a few weeks ago.

work a few weeks ago.

Houses at Nanticoke and Plymouth were attacked and stoned, the windows being broken and doors smashed, while men who started for work were turned back and many of them were beaten.

This same condition prevailed at Priceburg and Throop in Lacanwanna County, and, though the troops were called out they reached the scene too late.

To-night reports from all three regiments are that all is quiet, and that the rain is an page strikers under sheiter. They exto Chicago with live stock. They were riding in the way car of a stock train, into
which ran local passenger train No. 4,
which is due in Chicago at 7 o'clock.

As the freight train pulled into Maiden
a signal was given to stop and send out
a brakeman to the rear to flag the passenger
train, which was about due. A brakeman
started, but did not have time and the
passenger crashed into the rear of the
freight. In the way car were thirteen
men and a boy. Conductor R. L. Swain
of the freight train saw the passenger com-

ne-pag strikers under sheiter, pect renewed trouble to-morrow.

Father Stabs His Son. John Tolan, Jr., in trying to rescue his mother from the attacks of her husband, was slashed across the abdomen by the father shortly after midnight this morning at their home, No. 1122 North Ninth street. He was taken to the City Hospital and the father was placed under arrest.

Fort Riley Maneuvers. Fort Riley, Kas., Sept. 25.—To-day's arm; maneuvers consisted of an exercise of each regiment in the formation and con duct of advance guards and rear guards Two forces, one of cavalry in blue, and the other of infantry in khaki, were em



ETHEL JENSEN. Who will be seen in "The Storks" at the Olympic next week

## EAST SIDE NEWS.

Monticello Seminary Opened.

Alton Notes and Personals.

REFUSED A DECREE FOR DIVORCE.

Belleville Jury Denied Request of

Charles R. Miller was denied a decree

of divorce by a jury in the Circuit Court

The couple have been married five years.

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Miller is a school teacher, living near
Marysville, St. Clair County, At the last
term of the Circuit Court, he was indicted
on a charge of wife abandonment. He was
cleared of this charge, as he produced evidence to show that his wife Theodosia, departed from his home while he was at
work and refused to return. After he was
cleared of this charge he entered suit
for divorce. Mrs. Miller contested the divorce proceedings and a jury yesterday refused to grant the decree. Mrs. Miller is
a daughter of B. F. Begole near Collinsville.

Circuit Court Trial Docket.

Belleville News Notes.

-Miss Lulu Wehmeler entertained the Young Women's Missionary Society of the Zion Luth-eran Church last night at her home, in South Jackson street.

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The engagement of Annie D. Kraft to Henry C. Willmann has been announced.

—Miss Minnie Grabler entertained friends yesterday in celebration of her hirthday anniversary.

—Miss Sarah Rauch departed yesterday for Godfrey, Ill., to enter Monticelio Seminary.

—Mrs. John Heinzelman and Mrs. Otto A. Krebs entertained the Art Needlework Guild at the home of the former yesterday afternoon.

—Mrs. Sophia Olmstead of San Antonio, Tex., is visiting in Belleville.

—Martha Lodge, No. S. D. O. H., gave a osehre yesterday afternoon.

—A verdict in favor of the defendant was given yesterday in the damage suit of William Schifferdecker against the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Raifrond Company for alleged personal injuries.

St. Clair County Realty Transfers.

Real estate transfers filed for record in selleville yesterday were: Otto C. Davis and wife to Florence Meeker, ots 5 and 6, block 108, Denverside; warrany

lots 5 and 6, block 108, Lenvison, Schmidt, Jefferson Moore and wife to Susanna Schmidt, Jefferson Moore and wife to Susanna Schmidt, lot 79 and part 18, Lenzburg Station; warranty deed; 1350, F. Hamili and husband to A. A. Kurrus place,

at Belleville yesterday.

Charles R. Miller.

### DEATH OF MRS. M. JOYCE, WIFE OF FORMER MAYOR.

Was Regarded as One of the Best Friends the East Side Poor Ever Had.

Mrs. Maurice Joyce, wife of former Mayor Maurice Joyce of East St. Louis, died at her home, No. 1995 Pennsylvania avenue, shortly before 5 a. m. yesterday. She had

been ill for several years.
Mrs. Joyce was born in Ireland, but came to this country when a child. She was Miss Annie Galvin, and lived in East St. Louis for almost half a century. Her husband served as Mayor for two terms, and was also an Alderman for many years. He was engaged in the grocery business in East St. Louis for the greater part of his life, and retired from husiness about a year ago. As a fitting present to Mrs. Joyce on his retirement from business, he built her the handsomest residence in East St. Louis, on Penosylvania avenue.

Mrs. Joyce was one of the best friends the poor of the city ever had. Never did she turn a deaf car to the appeal for agsistance and she had the faculty of doing good unknown almost to the very members of her family. She was a liberal contributor to the public and private charities, but she always withheld her name where it was possible to 6) so. annie Galvin, and lived in East St. Louis

G) so,
Mrs. Joyce leaves her husband and one
son, Maurice V. Joyce, an attorney of the
East Side. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon, with services at the Sacred
Heart Church. The burial will be in Mount
Carmel Cemetery.

East St. Louis Items.

The marriage of William O'Shaughnessy of Louis, Mo., and Mirs Nora O'Sullivan of this y took place yesterday at St. Mary's Church. The Believille and East St. Louis friends of late Judge H. H. Horner of Lebanon, Ill., d a meeting yesterday and passed resolutions respect to his memory. The Weinrich Stars and the Oeters will play -Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jones entertained friends in honor of their twenty-ninth wedding anniversary.

versary.

-Miss Elizabeth Boyne died yesterday at her home in South Eighth street, aged 75 years. INVESTIGATING A SUPPOSED SUICIDE

Complete Set of Clothing Is Found on River Bank in East St. Louis. East St. Louis police are investigating what is supposed to have been a suicide by drowning in the Mississippi River, which is presumed to have taken place early yes-

A pair of heavy lace shoes, a black coat of poor material and a black stiff hat were ound on the river bank at the foot of iroadway, East St. Louis, at daybreak yeserday. Night Watchman Williams of the felt Elevator identified the coat and the state of the property of a man who had appeared as the property of a man who had appeared to the property of a man who had appeared to the property of a man who had appeared to the property of a man who had appeared to the property of a man who had appeared to the property of a man who had appeared to the property of a man who had appeared to the property of a man who had appeared to the property of a man who had appeared to the property of a man who had appeared to the property of the that as the property of a man who had ap-plied to him during the night for a place

Cases set for trial in the Circuit Court at Belleville yesterday were: Henry Suessman vs. Kinloch Long Distance Telephone Company of Missouri; ejectment. Samuel Daniels vs. same; ejectment. J. E. Dickenson vs. same; ejectment. Mrs. L. Givenrod vs. same; ejectment. Julia Ryot vs. same; ejectment; Katie Gravat vs. same; ejectment. Joel Daniels vs. same; ejectment. Walter W. Rolen vs. Belle Rolen; divorce. Joseph Stoltz vs. Veronick Meyer; partition. williams had told him that he would have to go uptown to sleep, and the man said that the world was cold and hard, and then he departed. It is supposed that the man lumped into the river. There is nothing on the clothing which will give a clew to the man's identity.

### DID NOT KNOW SHE WAS DIVORCED. News of Former Husband's Wedding Surprised Mrs. Whitworth.

George Whitworth of No. 1701 Grand avenue, East St. Louis, was granted a decree of divorce from Mrs. Maggie Whitworth, Wednesday morning and that evenworth, Wednesday morning and that evening married Mrs. Annie Eads. The divorce
was granted without the knowledge of Mrs.
Whitworth, according to her story, and
when she read the marriage license in yesterday morning's Republic, she hunted up
the man whom she supposed was her husband and charged him with bigamy. He
referred her to the office of the Cierk of
the City Court, where she learned that a
divorce had been granted.

Petition to Extend Car Lines. The East St. Louis and Suburban Electric Raliway is preparing a petition requesting the City Council to grant an ordinance permitting the street car company to extend its lines east on St. Clair avenue to Eighteenth street and from there to the northerly line of Natalle avenue and on and along Lynch avenue to the city limits.

### BIG THURSDAY AT ALTON FAIR. Visitors From Neighboring Towns At-

tended the Carnival. Big Thursday at the Alton Street Fair was yesterday. The rain did not materially interferre with the pleasure of the day.

The Chicago and Alton Railroad ran a special excursion from points on both the main lines and the Jacksonville division, and the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis Railroad ran extra coaches on their regular trains to accommodate the visitors. The steamer City of Peoria and the barge Pearl brought down a special excursion from Cal-

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

### ELOPED TO OUTWIT PARENTS. the presence of a small circle of friends and relatives. The Reverend John L. Caldwell officiated. The bride is a member of one of the first families in the State, and the bridegroom is a prominent physician. at Nashville, Ill. MORGAN-RCHRBOUGH.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Kinnundy, Ill., Sept. 25.—A pretty nome wedding took place this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Captain C. Rohrbough, Miss Helen Rohrbough and Professor Walter Montgomery Morgan of Jetmore, Kas., being married. Seventy-five guests were present. The bride and bridegroom left to-night for Chicago. They will make their home at Jetmore. Nashville, Ill., Sept. 25.-Mr. C. C. King, a prominent young railroad man of Mount Vernon, Ill., and Miss Nellie Chapman of the same place, eloped to this city last night and were married by Judge E. H. Wehmeyer. The parents of the girl ob-SIMCOX-ARNOLD. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Patoka, Ill., Sept. 25.—Mr. Howard Simcox and Miss May Arnold, both of this place were married here last night.

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ECKHART-MESNARD.

GALBRITH-LEWIS.

Holden, Mo., Sept. 25.—Mr. George S. Gal-brith and Miss Martha E. Lewis of this city were married last evening at the resi-dence of the officiating minister, the Rev-erend Frank Russell.

Kinmundy, Ill., Sept. 25.—Mr. Howard Simcox and Miss Mae Arnold, both of Patoka, were married in this city last evening by the Reverend J. H. Ballance.

COHEN-HAVIS.

BAUDER-STUMP.

Sweet Springs, Mo., Sept. 25.—Miss Nellie Stump and Mr. Joseph Bauder of this city were married here to-day by the Reverend A. B. Appleby.

RIST-GEORGE.

Pine Bluff, Ark., Sept. 25.—To-night at the home of the bride, Miss Hallie George and Mr. A. H. Rist were married, the Reverend Frank Thompson officiating. The bridegroom is manager of the local office of the Postal Telegraph Company.

TALBOTT—BRYANT.

Cairo, Ill., Sept. 25-Mr. William S. Tal

Climates wear out. Smokes and sprays do not cure. They relieve symptoms instead of removing causes; whereas, we take Asthma so thoroughly out of the system that nothing remains which can produce an attack; sufferent are soon able to work, eat, sleep and stand exposure without the slightest return of Asthma. Being right in principle our treatment does what "reliefs" cannot 40. We cure to stay cured severe, long-standing and pronounced "incurable" cases. If you are skeptical, it is because you are ignorant of our great work. Since 1883 we have treated \$2,000 Asthma and Hay Fever sufferers. If you desire comolete reafferers. If you desire comolete relief, health restored, and no Merro of Asthma, write for our Beek.

Wehmeyer. The parents of the girl objected to the match on account of her age. Yesterday morning she departed for Ashley, supposably to visit friends. In the evening Mr. King left for the same place. Later they came here where the ceremony was performed. The bride's parents superted something was up when the bridegroom was not at his place of busingss Wednesday and notified the authorities here to stop the wedding. The couple had no trouble, however, in procuring the license, They departed on a midnight train for Woodlawn, where they will remain until parental biessing is forthcoming. Stewardson, Ill., Sept. 25.—Mr. Will Eckhart of Beacon, Ia., and Miss Bertha Mesnard were married at the bride's home in Stewardson last night. MISS RITA BELL A COUNT'S BRIDE. Paris, Sept. 26.—There was a fashionable Franco-American gathering at the church marriage to-day of Count Paul d'Aramon to Miss Rita Bell, daughter of Mrs. Icaac Bell, who is the sister of James Gordon Bennett and widow of Isaac Bell, Jr., former United States Minister at The Hague. LOOMIS-BLACKWOOD.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Murphysboro, Ill., Sept. 25.—Mr. Charles
Loomis and Miss Nora Blackwood were
married in this city to-night by the Reverend K. Schauerte, at St. Andrew's Parish REPUBLIC SPECIAL REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carlyle, Ill., Sept. 25.—Mr. Daniel Har-netlaux of St. Louis and Miss Sophia Jor-dan of St. Rose were united in marriage this afternoon at the home of the bride. They will reside in St. Louis.

O'NEIL-SCHAEFER. REPUBLIC SPECIAL-Carlyle, Ill., Sept. 25.—Mr. B. J. O'Neil of Alton and Miss Maggie Schaefer, a daugh-ter of Philip Schaefer, one of the wealthiest citizens of Carlyle, will be married in the Catholic Church here October 8.

SCRUTCHFIELD-CAPP. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Clarence, Mo., Sept. 25.—Miss Leoni Capp and Mr. M. H. Scrutchfield were married at the home of the bride's mother in this city last evening. Mr. Scrutchfield is one of the lading business men of Clarence. Vicksburg, Miss., Sept. 25.—Miss Mabel Havis and Mr. Alfred E. Cohen were mar-ried to-night and departed for Kentucky for a two weeks' wedding tour. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Marshall, Ill., Sept. 25.—Mr. Robert Casteel of Chicago and Miss Belle Sebree of this city were married here to-day by the Rev-erend W. A. Elliott. REPUBLIC SPECIAL THOMAS-GILLILAND.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Auxvasae, Mo., Sept. 25.—Mr. Glenwood Thomas, a prominent business man of this city, and Miss Josie Gilliland were married to-day at Farber. GROSS-DILLON. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

New Franklin, Mo., Sept. Z.—Mr. E. M. Groes of Rocheport and Miss Margaret M. Howard in Fayette to-day, the Reverend Dillon of this city were married at Hotel Mr. Buchanan of the Baptist Church officiating. Trey will reside in Rocheport. POWELL-THARRINGTON.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Knobnoster, Mo., Sept. 25.—Mr. David E. Poweil, a prominent farmer of Sotherland vicinity, and Miss Irene Tharrington, who lived near Knobnoster, were married at noon to-day.

LUSK-HOLEMAN.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Xenia, Ill. Sept. 25.—Mr. Robert Erastus Lusk and Miss Edith Holeman, both of this city, were married to-day. They will leave immediately for North Bend. 0., to make their future home, where Mr. Lusk is em-ployed as station agent for the B. & O. S.-W. Rallway. CUPP-HOGG.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Pine Bluff, Ark., Sept. 25.—Miss Owen
Hogg, daughter of Doctor and Mrs. G. A.
Hogg of Altheimer, and Doctor H. C. Cupp
of Memphis were married here to-day in

bott and Miss Grace Bryant of Charleston, Mo., were married here to-day. ILLINOIS W. C. T. U. CONVENTION

houn County. The White Hall Band came in early in the day, headed by Mayor J. M. Baldwin.

The East St. Louis Lodge of Eiks arrived shortly after noon and played the Alton Elks a game of baseball. The visitors were the victors by a score of Il to T. The visiting team was in charge of John J. Faulkner the exalter ruler of the East St. Louis lodge, and the Alton team was in charge of Mayor A. W. Young, the exalter ruler of the Alton Elks. Former Congressman W. A. Rodenburg acted as umpire.

Among the St. Louis visitors yesterday were Russell E. Gardner, president of the Banner Buggy Company. Mr. Gardner came to Alton on his yacht, Annie Russell, and brought as his guests forty-three members of the office force.

To-day the principal feature will be the Posterburg, Ili, band, which will give a concert. Two Hundred Delegates in Attendance at Peoria Meeting. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Peoria, Ill., Sept. 25.-Three hundred delegates were present at the opening session of the Illineis W. C. T. U. Convention at

the First Congregational Church. Mayor Bryan, Professor N. C. Dougherty, superintendent of schools; Doctor John Faville, Mrs. Lucie B. Tyng and Mrs. Lura Bolsyn welcomed the visitors, while responses were made by Mrs. Fannie H. Rastall of Chicago, Mrs. Nellie M. Siyter, Greymont; Mrs. Mary T. Bedeil, Mount Carmel, and Mrs. Mecca Varney, Clinton.

T. Bedell, Mount Carmel, and Mrs. Mecca Varney, Clinton.
Mrs. Zillah Stevens gave a picture story as the closing number. The Executive Committee, after an all-day session, decided to recommend to the convention the establishment of a department for negroes, a zeientific course of study for the public schools, the establishment of a public schools savings bank and a department of labor. To-morrow the various officers will present reports, and the question of the adoption of the new constitution will be brought up.

## Monticello Seminary at Godfrey opened its scholastic year yesterday with a large attendance. Special exercises were conducted in horor of the event by Miss H. N. Haskell, the principal, in the Eleanor Reid Memorial Chapel. The greater part of the day, was spent in the work of registration. MARMADUKE MAY END THE WAR

If His Ship Wins, Colombian Revolution Will Be Over.

-J. W. Becker, editor of the Jerseyville Republican, was a visitor in Alton yesterday.

-The Reverend James Osborn of Upper Alton departed yesterday for Literbury, Ill., to attend the annual meeting of the Central Illinois Baptist Association. Colon, Colombia, Sept. 25.-The success of -President Stanley A. McKay of Shurtleff College has gone to Franklin, Ind.
-Raymond Nash of Jerseyville was a visitor in Alton yesterday,
-The Reversed L. Schock of Virden, Ill., is a visitor in Alton. the Government in its contemplated naval engagements depends on the Bogota, which is commanded by Captain Marmaduke, an American, and manned by an American The opening meeting of the season of the Upper Alton Woman's Club will be held on Tues-day of next week, with Mrs. Fairman in Mechan-les' Church.

Train.

For Hannibal, H. & St. J.

points, Quincy, Keckuk and

Burlington

Local to Hannibal.

For Quincy and Keckuk.

For St. Paul, Minneapolis, via

East Side line, Illinois and

Wisconsin

The Burlington-Northern Pa.

Wisconsin
The Burlington-Northern Pacific Express, for Kansas
City, St. Joseph, Northwest
Nebraska, Black Hills, Wyoming, Montana, Washington,
Puget Sound, Portland and
Gregon

CHICAGO, PEORIA AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY-(C., P. & ST. L.)

Train.
Arrive.

IRON MOUNTAIN ROUTE.

veston, San Antonio and Laredo
Memphis Express: AND CHOUTEAU AVENUE
STATION.

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FRISCO SYSTEM.

Train.

Depart. Arrive
Valley Park Accommodation.
Valley Park Accommodation

crew.

If the Bogota sinks the Padilla, the revolution, it is believed, will be ended.

Captain Hitchcock, who arrived here from
New York on the steamer Finance last
Tuesday, is now in command of the Government gunboat Geteral Pinaon.

He succeeds Captain Merritt, an American, who resigned. -F. W. Olln of Alton departed for New York -Charles Carrillon of Smithboro, Bond County, Illinois, was a visitor in Alton yeaterday. Mr. Carrillon is the Democratic nominee for the lower house of the Forty-seventh Diatrict, -Michael Bergen of Gillespie, Ill., is a visitor in Alton.

COOK COUNTY ASSESSMENT. Returns Show an Increase of \$23.

830,083 Over Previous Year. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 25.—Auditor McCullough received to-day from County Clerk Knopf of Cook County the assessment returns of that county for 1902. The total amount of the assessment is \$38,002,402. This is an increase of \$23,531,553 over the assessment of 1904.

The personal property assessment is \$82,109,900, an increase of \$4,734,275. Limis are assessed at \$4,295,252, an increase of \$733,912. The assessment on lots is \$23,234,401, an increase of \$11,734,812. Railroad property is assessed at \$3,161,129, an increase of \$1,-675,973.

## CARRIES SECRET TO THE GRAVE.

Berkley Cooney's Hidden Fortune May Never Be Found.

When the trunks and effects of Berkley Cooney, who die! Tuesday at the Y. M. C. A. Hospital, were searched no trace was found of a store of money which he was supposed to have hoarded or Government bonds which he was known to have possessed. Neither was there any clew as to their hiding place.

Cooney was 48 years old and a well-known Cooney was 48 years old and a well-known character For years he has lived at a boatdi-g-house on Third street, kept by Patrick Hagerty.

About 14 years ago Cooney invented a monkey wrench and received \$12,00 for the sale of the patent. This money he is known to have invested in Government bonds. He also received a royalty each year from the purchasers of his patent.

When it became evident that his illness would prove fatal every effort was used to induce him to make a will, but he steadfastly refused, fearing that the hiding place of his treasure would be disclosed. He died without giving any information about the disposal of his property.

## RAILROAD TIME-TABLE.

ST. LOUIS TIME. Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Union Station. MOBILE AND OHIO. Train.
Southern Special.
St. Louis and Florina Limited.
Murphysboro. Sparta. Chester
and Percy Accommodation.

5:19 pm \*11:34 am IlSaturday and Sunday only. Except Monday. Daily except Saturday. Daily. Daily except Sunday. Saturday only. Cincinnati, Louisville, Wash-ington, Baitimere, Philadel-phia and New York Express, 2:35 am 1:35 pm Cincinnati, Louisville, Pitts-burg, Washington, Baitimore, Philadelphia and New York Fast Mail B. & O. S.-W. R. R. TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS AND WESTERN.

Train. (CLOVER LEAF ROUTE.)

The Commercial Traveler Depart. Arrive.

Toledo, Buffalo and New York 7(3) pm 7(4) am
Toledo and New York Farpers. 5(5) am 5(5) pm
Ramsey Accommodation. 1(5) pm 9(2) am L. & N. R. R. Depart. Arrive. BIG FOUR

LAKE SHORE NEW YORK CENTRAL AND
HUDSON RIVER BOSTON AND ALBANY
AND CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILWAY.
Train.
Indianapolis Express 17:32 am 5:39 pm
New York and Boston Limited. 8:30 am 7:45 pm
Kinkerbocker Special - New
York, Boston, Washington,
Baltimore and Philadelphia. 12:00 noon 6:45 pm
Mattoon and Alton Accommodation 14:55 pm 5:48 am L., H. & ST. L. RY. (Henderson Route.) Train. Depart. Arrive.

\*8:21 am 4:55 pm

Train.

Past Mail—Owensboro, Cloverport, Louisville and the East, 8:28 am 7:18 pm
Eastern Express — Owensboro,
Cloverport, Louisville and the
East — 8:35 pm 7:28 am Mattoon and Alton Accommodation
dation

Sector, New York, Cincinnati,
Washington, Baltimore and
Philadelphia

Cincinnati Express
S.25 pm 6.53 am
Alton—Leaves 10.28 a. m., 5.65 p. m. Arrives
3:00 a. m., \*1:45 p. m. M., K. & T.-"THE KATY." Train.

Jefferson City, Columbia, Boonville, Sedalia, Fort Scott, Indian Territory and Texas
Express
The Katy Flyer, for Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, Galveston, San Antonio, Mexico City and intermediate points. 8:32 pm 7:27 am Jefferson City, Columbia, Boonville, Sedalia, Kansas, Indian Territory and Texas Express. 11:45 pm 6:39 am Missouri, Kansas, Indian Territory and Oklahoma Flyer, 18:32 pm 7:37 am BURLINGTON ROUTE-UNION STATION.

VANDALIA LINE.
PENNSYLVANIA LINES WEST OF PITTSBURG-PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD. Train.

Past Mail.

New York, Philaceiphia, Baitinover and Washington Special \*1:44 am \*2:15 am Indianapolis and New York

Local New York Limited.

New York Limited.

1:60 pm \*1:20 pm \*1:20 pm 1:20 Oregon 7:19 am
Twin City Express, for Minneapolls, St. Faul and Iowa 2:15 pm 2:10 pm
The Nebraska-Colorado Express, for Denver, Colorado,
Utah and Pacific Coast, via
2:15 pm 4:35 pm \*9:00 am \*7:19 am

Belleville yesterday were:
Otto C. Davis and wife to Florence Meeker, lots 5 and 6, block 108, Denverside; warranty deed; 1400.

Jefferson Moore and wife to Susanna Schmidt, for Northern lows, St. Paul 7:00 pm 16:25 am Indianapolis, and New York 11:25 pm 5:36 am Indianapolis and New York 11:25 pm 5:36 pm 16:25 am Indianapolis and New York 11:25 pm 5:36 pm 16:25 am Indianapolis and New York 11:25 pm 5:36 pm 16:25 am Indianapolis and New York 11:25 pm 5:36 pm 16:25 am Indianapolis and New York 11:25 pm 5:36 pm 16:25 am Indianapolis and New York 11:25 pm 16:25 pm 16:

For Kansas Gilly, Loseph, Bluffs, Omaha, St. Joseph, Denver, Nebraska, Colorado, Utah and Pacific Coast. 2:00 pm 7:18 am Local for Hannibal. 11:19 am Local for Hannibal. 11:19 am, daily; 10:25 a, m., daily; 1:30 p. m., except Sunday; 10:25 p. m., daily; 1:30 p. m., except Sunday; 5:50 p. m., daily; 7:40 p. m., daily; 8:21 p. m., daily; 11:15 p. m., Sunday only. MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Crew Coour Lake trains leave Union Station at 16:45 a. m., 16:16 a. m., 16:30 p. m. 5:25 p. m. and 7:21 p. m. Oak Hill trains leave Union Station at 16:45 a. m., 16:16 a. m., 15:00 p. m. and 16:29 p. m. Kirkwood trains leave Union Station at 17:20 a. m., 11:00 p. m., 4:10 p. m., except Sunday; 16:25 p. m. Train.
The Belt Special.
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Train to and way stations, Chairanouga, Rome, Atlanta Macon and points in the South-

Northern Depart. Arrive.

Northern Illinois Express —
Springileld, Freeport and Dubuque 7:52 am \*8:60 pm
Chicago Daylight Special—Peoria am 7:22 pm
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Chicago Diamond Special. 3:18 pm 7:21 am
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Southers Lines.
Train.
Past Mail - Paducah, Cairo,
Memphis, Jackson, Tenn.;
New Orleans and Texas Express.
Nashville, Adlanta
and Jacksonville.
New Orleans Special - Cairo,
Memphis and New Orleans.
Accommodation - Murphysboro,
Marion and Cairo.
Marion and Cairo.
Marion and Creal Springs,
Sparts and Chester.
New Orleans Limited - Cairo,
Memphis: Dixie Flyer-Nashville, Atlanta and Jacksonville 19:30 pm 6:52 am (See C., P. and St. L.)

5T. LOUIS MERCHANTS' BRIDGE TERMINAL RAILWAY SUBURBAN TRAIN
SERVICE.

Eastbound—Leave Eighth and Gratiot streets,
daily—1:45-521, 5:30 p. m. Except Sunday, 4:34,
4:516, 7:27, 8:51, 19:05, 11:19 a. m.; 12:35, 2:45, 4:30,
8:32 p. m. Saturday and Sunday only—11:41 p. m.
8unday only—5:24, 7:05, 9:09 a. m.; 12:25,
Leave Washington Avenue, Daily—1:45, 5:15, 6:24
p. m. Except Sunday, 1:36, 6:21, 7:41, 8:35, 19:00,
11:23 a. m.; 12:12, 2:30, 6:30, p. m. Saturday
and Sunday only—11:45 p. m. Sunday only—5:25,
7:39, 9:11 a. m.; 12:25 p. m.
Westbound—Leave Granite C\*\*; Daily—1:46,
7:20, 8:14, 8:28, 10:42 a. m.; 2:13, 4:25, 9:17 p. m.
Saturday only, 4:45 p. m. Sunday and Monday only,
12:15, a. m. Except Saturday and Monday only,
12:15 a. m. Except Saturday and Sunday, 5:14,
12:15 Leave Madison, Daily—1:15, 2:17, 6:62, 7:17 p. m. Leave Mudison, Daily—1:15, 2:17, 6:62, 7:17 p. m. Except Sunday, 5:79, 6:09, 7:08, 8:18, 9:12, 19:46 a. m.; 3:27, 4:49, 9:21 p. m. Saturday only, 12:29 p. m. Sunday only, 12:29, 6:09, 5:09, 19:05 a. m. Sunday and Monday only, 12:25 a. m.

Train.

101 and 102 Mail and Express
Gasconade River and Intermediate points.

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WABASK. Eastern Lises.

Banner Express—Chicago 9:22 am 7:26 pm
Banner Limited—Chicago 9:25 pm 131 am
Midnight Limited—Chicago 9:25 pm 132 am
Kansas City Line.
Kansas City Express 9:30 am 6:30 pm
Kansas City Fast Mail 9:215 pm 150 am
Kansas City Limited 90:15 pm 6:50 am
Northwestern Lines.

From Union Station— From Union Station-council Bluffs and Omaha Express Des Mottes and 7:20 pm 4:30 pm Ottumwa. Des Mottes and 7:20 pm 4:30 am Local Trains.

West-Moberty and Kansas City
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Brownwood 2:50 pm \*11:20 am
Valley Park Accommodation... †4:10 pm \*15:30 am
Pacific Accommodation... †5:21 pm \*7:40 am
Valley Park Accommodation... †5:21 pm \*7:40 am
Vailey Park Accommodation... †7:20 pm †7:40 pm
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Eurska Springs. Fort Smits 

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